

## State of Utah

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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Glen Murphy Duchesne County Road Department P. O. Box 356 East Old Highway 40 Duchesne, Utah 84021-0356

Subject: Approval of Updated Reclamation Surety, Duchesne County Road Department, Cedar

Buttes Mine, M/047/0028, Uintah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Murphy:

On April 6, 2011, the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) received the bond rider for the reclamation surety for the Cedar Buttes Mine, located in Uintah County, Utah, increasing the surety from \$89,800.00 to \$106,000.00.

After performing the standard five-year review of the reclamation surety for your mine, it was determined that escalation was all that was required to bring the site to 2015 dollars. Please note that this year is a change from what you provided on the fact sheet. The reclamation surety will not need to be reviewed again until 2015, unless you amend or revise your mining and reclamation plan.

Thank you for keeping the reclamation surety current. If you have any questions concerning this letter, please contact Leslie Heppler at (801) 538-5257.

Sincerely,

Paul B. Baker

Mining Program Coordinator

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Attachment: Copy updated surety & MRRC

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